

PGA JONES CUP MEDIA GUIDE



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2018 PGA Jones Cup Champion
PGA Golf Club | Port St. Lucie, Florida



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Defending Champion: Florida Gulf Coast University

FACTS & FORMAT

Purse and Honors

No prize money is awarded to competitors in the PGA Jones Cup. All teams compete solely for their university and their university's right of possession of the Jones Cup.

Method of Play

Stroke play, two rounds of 18 holes. The top four scores per round from each university are counted towards a cumulative score.

Rules and Regulations

The Rules of Golf, which govern play, are determined by the United States Golf Association and applied by the PGA of America.

Eligibility

Contestants must be students enrolled in an accredited PGA Golf Management University Program. The composition of each team is determined by each program's director.

Championship History

The PGA Jones Cup, initiated in 2002, is named for the first PGA Golf Management University Program Director, Dr. S. Roland Jones, who held the position at Mississippi State from 1985 until his passing in 1997. The event annually provides a platform for participants to display professionalism, integrity, character and camaraderie; all characteristics Dr. Jones instilled in PGA Golf Management students.

PGA Golf Management University

Program History

Students in the PGA Golf Management University Program study a combination of golf and business-related subjects; serve a minimum of 16 months in on-course internships within the golf industry; and are eligible for direct election to PGA membership upon graduation and eligible employment. All participating universities in the PGA Jones Cup are schools accredited by the PGA of America to offer the PGA Golf Management University Program for aspiring PGA Professionals. There are currently over 2,000 students enrolled in the program nationwide.

ANNUAL PGA JONES CUP CHAMPIONS

YEAR	WINNER
2018	Florida Gulf Coast University
2017	Campbell University
2016	New Mexico State University
2015	New Mexico State University
2014	Campbell University
2013	Ferris State University
2012	Campbell University
2011	N.C. State University
2010	Mississippi State University
2009	Campbell University
2008	University of Idaho
2007	Campbell University
2006	New Mexico State University
2005	Coastal Carolina University
2004	Coastal Carolina University
2003	Mississippi State University
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TOTAL PGA JONES CUP TITLES

#	WINNER
5	Campbell University
3	Mississippi State University
3	New Mexico State University
2	Coastal Carolina University
1	Ferris State University
1	University of Idaho
1	N.C. State University
1	Florida Gulf Coast University

2018 RECAP

2018 Champion: Florida Gulf Coast University

Site: Port St. Lucie, Florida

Date: October 30-31, 2018

Course: PGA Golf Club (Wanamaker)

Par: 72 **Yardage:** 6,701 (Men) / 5,621 (Women)

Field: 90 (Five per University)

PGA Golf Club is situated roughly 140 miles from Florida Gulf Coast University (FGCU). By no means is the Wanamaker Course considered to be the home track of the Eagles. But with three returning players, they could've fooled anyone.

FGCU trekked across the Florida peninsula and cruised to a 14-stroke victory over Clemson University in the 2018 PGA Jones Cup. With a total tally of 590, the win is the first in FGCU PGA Golf Management program history. Following a couple close finishes in 2016 (2nd) and 2017 (4th) where FGCU's combined deficit was 10 strokes, they sealed the deal in convincing fashion.

"This is really exciting, but to do it in the style they did today was special," said Marty Hall, Assistant Director for FGCU's PGA Golf Management program. "To have all five players clicking at the same time was awesome. This creates a lot of excitement about making the team. I think there will be a lot of competition amongst our 160 students to try and repeat next year."

The margin of victory was the largest since 2012, when Campbell University defeated runner-up New Mexico State by 17. Wednesday's results also marked the first time since 2013 that a PGA Golf Management program not from Campbell or New Mexico State hoisted the Jones Cup (Ferris State).

The veteran of the squad after competing in 2016 and 2017, Alex Holt finished with a two-day total of 147 (73-74). Playing in their second consecutive PGA Jones Cup were Cameron Fady and Eric Costa, who posted a 146 (73-73) and 148 (78-



2018 Co-Medalists: Shea Wolfle, Campbell University; Chris Gabriele, Clemson University; PGA of America Chief Membership Officer John Easterbrook

70). Darin DeLelys and Reece Kornfeld rounded out the five-person team.

"I don't know that it's hit us yet – what we just accomplished," said Holt. "Obviously we're excited and happy to represent our school. My teammates are really good. They can get hot and go low if the putters are working."

Runner-up Clemson University (604) was led by Chris Gabriele, who shared medalist honors after carding a 70 and 72 for a two-day score of 142. Campbell University's Shea Wolfle shot a 75 in the first round but charged up the leaderboard with a second-round 67 to match Gabriele's total.

The University of Colorado-Colorado Springs finished alone in third place (605), followed by Campbell University and New Mexico State University, who tied for fourth with 611.

FINAL RESULTS: 17TH PGA JONES CUP | Hosted by: PGA Golf Club | Wanamaker Course

FINAL RESULTS: TEAM

SCHOOL	SCORE
Florida Gulf Coast University	299-291--590
Clemson University	305-299--604
University of Colorado Colorado Springs	300-305--605
Campbell University	308-303--611
New Mexico State University	310-301--611
Penn State University	308-305--613
North Carolina State University	305-310--615
Coastal Carolina University	306-310--616

University of Nebraska-Lincoln	324-292--616
Mississippi State University	310-307--617
Sam Houston State University	316-301--617
University of Central Oklahoma	324-295--619
Ferris State University	313-307--620
University of Nevada, Las Vegas	313-310--623
Eastern Kentucky University	315-311--626
Methodist University	315-316--631
University of Maryland Eastern Shore	335-318--653
University of Idaho	337-327--664

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PLAYER	SCHOOL	SCORE
Chris Gabriele	Clemson University	70-72--142
Shea Wolfle	Campbell University	75-67--142
Bradley Myers	Univ. of Col.-Col. Springs	68-77--145
Nick Michas	Univ. of Col.-Col. Springs	74-71--145
Cameron Fady	Florida Gulf Coast University	73-73--146
Josh Elder	New Mexico State University	76-70--146
Matthew Sandquist	Ferris State University	74-72--146
Henry Angier	Methodist University	75-71--146
Alex Holt	Florida Gulf Coast University	73-74--147
Eric Costa	Florida Gulf Coast University	78-70--148
Dane Martinson	New Mexico State University	76-72--148
Brandon O'Kray	Mississippi State University	75-73--148
Walker Singleton	North Carolina State University	76-74--150
Chris Paulino	Coastal Carolina University	77-74--151
Christopher North	Penn State University	78-73--151
Josh Baldus	University of Nebraska-Lincoln	80-71--151
Marko Lloyd	Sam Houston State University	79-72--151
Brandon Resnick	University of Nevada, Las Vegas	76-76--152
Tanner Staples	Eastern Kentucky University	80-72--152
Austin Krewson	University of Central Oklahoma	83-69--152
Matthew Weiss	Univ. of Col.-Col. Springs	75-78--153
Connor Costello	Campbell University	76-77--153
Matthew Legault	Ferris State University	75-78--153
Phillip Webb	Eastern Kentucky University	75-78--153
Sam Rice	University of Nebraska-Lincoln	80-73--153
Cordell Weber	University of Nebraska-Lincoln	81-72--153
Reece Kornfeld	Florida Gulf Coast University	80-74--154
Jay Newcomb	Coastal Carolina University	72-82--154
Leo Lee	Penn State University	76-78--154
Carson Willis	Mississippi State University	77-77--154
Jake Warner	University of Central Oklahoma	83-71--154
Jordan Fant	North Carolina State University	75-80--155
Zach Bostic	Clemson University	76-79--155
Nicholas Morabito	Clemson University	79-76--155
Evan Rhodes	Campbell University	75-80--155
Junghoon Lee	University of Nevada, Las Vegas	76-79--155
Spencer Dillard	Sam Houston State University	76-79--155
Adam Gabbey	North Carolina State University	77-79--156
Jack O'Brien	Clemson University	82-74--156
Frank Jones	Mississippi State University	80-76--156
Connor Mangleson	Methodist University	77-79--156
Nicholas Jones	Sam Houston State University	83-73--156
Nathan Desens	Clemson University	80-77--157

Dean Cannestra	Coastal Carolina University	75-82--157
Keegan Moore	New Mexico State University	76-81--157
Brett Wagner	Penn State University	78-79--157
Madison Erskine	Eastern Kentucky University	79-78--157
Sydney Roberts	University of Central Oklahoma	79-78--157
Billy Knutson	North Carolina State University	77-81--158
Jesse Cosma	Sam Houston State University	81-77--158
Jacob Mrochinski	Coastal Carolina University	82-77--159
Zach Weaver	Mississippi State University	78-81--159
Sean Woods	New Mexico State University	82-78--160
Matt Storeman	Penn State University	85-75--160
Tyler Hering	University of Nevada, Las Vegas	81-79--160
Kyle Murray	University of Nebraska-Lincoln	83-77--160
Peyton Knell	University of Central Oklahoma	83-77--160
R. Pitch Riley	North Carolina State University	84-77--161
Kevin McCarthy	Penn State University	76-85--161
Skylar Thompson	Campbell University	82-79--161
Jordan Laukaitis	Ferris State University	81-80--161
Cole Ketterer	Ferris State University	83-78--161
TJ Loudner	University of Nebraska-Lincoln	85-76--161
William Veith	Univ. of Col.-Col. Springs	83-79--162
Min Hao Feng	University of Nevada, Las Vegas	80-82--162
Matthew Goldi	Ferris State University	83-79--162
Tanner Crisofulli	University of Idaho	82-80--162
Tyler McElroy	Univ. of Maryland Eastern Shore	80-82--162
Andy Hewitt	Univ. of Maryland Eastern Shore	84-78--162
Tyson Odden	University of Idaho	82-80--162
Colin Fisher	Coastal Carolina University	86-77--163
Jesse Campbell	Sam Houston State University	80-83--163
Owen Downard	Methodist University	82-81--163
Brody Mayberry	University of Central Oklahoma	79-84--163
Demarkis Cooper	Univ. of Maryland Eastern Shore	84-79--163
Ben Gasparich	New Mexico State University	82-82--164
Collin Smith	Eastern Kentucky University	81-83--164
Deven Doughty	Univ. of Col.-Col. Springs	83-82--165
Robbie Fields	Mississippi State University	83-82--165
Remy Smaby	University of Nevada, Las Vegas	90-76--166
Damian Hawley	University of Idaho	87-79--166
Brant Gillespie	Univ. of Maryland Eastern Shore	87-79--166
Mike Foy	Methodist University	81-86--167
Alex Willey	Campbell University	86-82--168
Sam Burgoyne	Methodist University	85-85--170
Brian Musgrove	Univ. of Maryland Eastern Shore	87-85--172
Logan Thomas	Eastern Kentucky University	88-85--173
Shaw Taylor	University of Idaho	86-89--175
Tom Coppola	University of Idaho	91-88--179
Darin DeLelys	Florida Gulf Coast University	75-DQ--DQ